

KOLAR GOLD FIELDS.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE 2ND ORDINARY MEETING OF THE SANITARY BOARD, KOLAR GOLD FIELDS, HELD ON FRIDAY THE 2ND NOVEMBER 1923, AT 4 P.M. IN THE SANITARY BOARD OFFICE AT CHAMPION REEFS.

MEMBERS.

Present 14. Absent 1.

Read D. O. No. C. 63, dated 30th October 1923, from the President expressing his inability to attend the Meeting.

1. Confirmation of the Proceedings of the 1st Ordinary Meeting and the Special Meeting held on 31st August and 28th September 1923, respectively.

Resolution.—Confirmed.

3. List of Public works sanctioned in August and September 1923.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

5. Deferred subject No. 12 in the matter of removal of steps put up unauthorisedly on Government land by Mr. Tejraj, in Robertsonpet Town.

Resolution.—Deferred.

6. Letter No. C. 118-62, dated 9th August 1923, from the Sanitary Commissioner in Mysore calling for the opinion of the Sanitary Board in the matter of granting to Mr. Krishnaswamy Rao, (Deputy Inspector of Vaccination since reverted as Sanitary Inspector, No. II Circle) a pay of Rs. 67 in the grade of 67— $\frac{5}{2}$ —87.

Resolution.—He may be given Rs. 67 in the grade 67— $\frac{5}{2}$ —87 from 9th April 1923, on which date he joined duty under the Sanitary Board.

7. Travelling Allowance Bill for Rs. 3-12-0, of S. Krishnaia, Sanitary Inspector for August 1923, for journey to Bangalore.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

8. Letter No. 1830-5, dated 3rd September 1923, from the Senior Surgeon to Mysore Government forwarding an estimate with plan amounting to Rs. 990 for urgent improvements to be done to the temporary sheds for Midwives undergoing training in the Maternity Hospital.

Resolution.—The Sanitary Board regret they do not see their way to incur extra expenditure on these sheds which were put up for a temporary purpose which has been served. The Sanitary Board agree to dismantle the sheds and remove the materials if the Medical and Public Works Departments do not want them.

9. Memo No. 239, dated 31st August 1923, from the Amildar of Bowringpet Taluk recommending an allowance of Rs. 15 to the Shiekdar, Dasarahosahalli Hobli in recognition of his efforts in collecting the heavy arrears of House and Mohatarfa Taxes in Robertsonpet and in Villages of Sanitary Board area.

Resolution.—An allowance of Rs. 10 per mensem is sanctioned for one year from July 1923.

10. Mr. Mini Ibrahim Sab's application dated 2nd May 1923, *re* the sites near Robertsonpet Market leased out to him by the Deputy Commissioner, Kolar, for a period of 20 years, on which he has already constructed substantial buildings.

Resolution.—The Board agree in that the Deputy Commissioner's order No. C. 175—22-23, dated 17th February—23rd March 1923, and do not see any reason to request him to reconsider his order.

11. Letter No. 91, dated 15th August 1923, from the President, Depressed Class Mission Society, Kolar Gold Fields, requesting the Board to sanction:—

(1) for laying two water taps in the compound of the Society Hostel building at the cost of the mission.

(2) free supply of water.

(3) an annual grant for the maintenance and enlarging the educational institutions of the Mission.

Resolution.—Deferred.

13. Note No. 159, dated 12th October 1923, from the Medical Officer of Health, *re* the Market Show, during the ensuing Christmas.

Resolution.—Resolved that (i) a Market Show may be arranged to be held on the 24th December 1923.

(ii) a Sub-Committee consisting of (1) Vice-President (Convenor), (2) Dr. J. V. Karve, (3) Dr. J. D. O'Donnell, (4) Col. C. H. Richards, (5) Mr. Ahamed Sait and (6) Dr. Rajagopal Mudaliar be appointed to organise all details in connection with the show.

(iii) A net grant of Rs. 150 is sanctioned for the show.

(iv) No gate fee need be levied this year.

14. Medical Officer of Health's No. 331, dated 12th October 1923, recommending remission of Rs. 4-8-0 being the arrears of ground rent from Chinnatoyi of Masikem zinc huts, from January to September 1923, as irrecoverable.

Resolution.—The amount of Rs. 4-8-0 may be written off.

15. Correspondence ending with Medical Officer of Health's No. 9, dated 17th September 1923, suggesting amendments in the Rules under the Vaccination Regulation to meet cases in which persons refuse to have their children vaccinated even after conviction in a criminal court.

Resolution.—Deferred.

16. Draft agreement in connection with street lighting by electricity received from the Chief Electrical Engineer, Electric Department with his No. 1562, dated 30th August 1923.

Resolution.—Deferred. Enquiry may be made of the Presidents of Bangalore and Mysore City Municipalities as to the terms of the agreement, if any, executed by the Municipal Councils in the matter.

17. Letter No. C. 1519-12-22-23, dated 12th October 1923, from the Senior Surgeon in Mysore forwarding plan and estimate amounting to Rs. 16,700 for the extension of Maternity Hospital and calling for opinion of the Board for paying their quota in 1923-24.

Resolution.—Resolved that a Sub-Committee consisting of (1) Dr. J. D. O'Donnell, (2) Dr. J. V. Karve and (3) Dr. C. Raja Gopal Mudaliar be requested to go into the question and scrutinise the proposed additions and alterations and submit their proposals for consideration at the next meeting of the Board.

18. Office Note regarding additional bye-laws for the registration of bicycle or tricycle in the Sanitary Board area.

Resolution.—The principle of issuing discs to bicycles and tricycles is approved. The bye-laws may be revised and brought up for consideration at the next meeting.

20. (a) Government Order, No. Camp 8-28—Med. 54-23, dated 21st October 1923, directing that the cost of Neo-Salvarsan tubes supplied by Senior Surgeon to local bodies be recovered from the said bodies and stating Government are not in favour of the local bodies themselves indenting for the medicine direct from the supplying firm.

(b) Bill for Rs. 199-2-0 for supply of 125 tubes of Neo-salvarsan.

Resolution.—(a) Recorded.

(b) The bill for Rs. 199-2-0, is sanctioned.

21. Estimate for Rs. 41, for removing the fountain in the junction of Warren and No. 1 Cross Roads, to the junction of Mission and No. 1 Cross Roads near the S. P. G. Church, Robertsonpet.

Resolution.—The estimate is sanctioned. The fountain may be shifted to the junction of the Madhava and No. 1 Cross Roads instead.

22. Estimate amounting to Rs. 193, for putting up an additional water tap in No. 3 Cross Road at Robertsonpet.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

23. Deferred subject No. 6 (ii) of the meeting of 22nd December 1922, in the matter of making the appointments of Rent Collectors permanent.

Resolution.—Deferred.

26. Memo. No. H. C. 288-23-24, dated 20th October 1923, from the Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District, re Organisation of National Baby Week in January next.

Resolution.—Resolved that a Baby Week be organised in the Kolar Gold Fields in January 1924 to synchronise with that organised in the rest of India,

(2) that a Sub-Committee consisting of (1) Dr. J. D. O'Donnell, (2) Mr. H. M. A. Cooke, (3) Mr. R. Bocquet, (4) Dr. Karve, (5) Dr. Rajagopal Mudaliar, (6) Mr. Audul Gani and (7) Mr. Ramanathan be appointed to arrange the preliminaries and details and organise the Baby Week according to local conditions.

(3) That Dr. Fitz Maurice and Mrs. Perriton be invited to join the said Committee, and (4) that definite proposals as to programme and funds be submitted at the next meeting.

A. V. RAMANATHAN,

Vice-President,

Sanitary Board, Kolar Gold Fields.